

Subject No. 147
(a) Honge leaves for manure.

Summary of discussion.—(a) The leaves of honge trees in bechirakh villages as also in other villages which have a superfluity of such trees, should be allowed to be utilized by cultivators of wet land under big amani tanks, subject to the payment of the prescribed fee of Rs. 1-2-0 per 100 trees.

Reply of Government.—Only leaves left after meeting the requirements of the villages concerned can be given to others. The matter is under consideration.

(b) Free grant of creepers and leaves for manure.

Summary of discussion.—(b) Creepers and leaves of wild trees and plants may be given free to raiyats from District Forests for purposes of manure.

Reply of Government.—No fee is demanded in such cases. Application should be made to the Deputy Commissioner.

Subject No. 148
Issue of Kammi Jasti pattas at the annual jamabandi.

Summary of discussion.—Kammi Jasti pattas are written up and issued by shanbhogs instead of being distributed at the annual jamabandi under the seals and signatures of the Amildar and the Jamabandi officer. When produced in Civil or Revenue Courts, such pattas are rejected for want of proper authentication. Suitable orders on the subject are therefore requested.

Reply of Government.—Orders will be passed that pattas produced at jamabandi be signed and sealed as requested.

Subject No. 149
Planting Honge and other trees on the margins of tank beds.

Summary of discussion.—It is desirable that honge and other trees should be planted on the margin of the water-spread of tanks to prevent the beds silting up; raiyats may be encouraged to plant such trees on condition of their being allowed to take in return the produce, leaves and dry wood of the same.

Reply of Government.—Yes. This will be done as far as possible.

Subject No. 150
Repairs to minor tanks in the maidan.

Summary of discussion.—Raiyats should be relieved of their obligation to execute earthwork to minor tanks. The repairs should be carried out at the cost of Government as in the case of major tanks.

Reply of Government.—Government cannot restore all such tanks. Big ones have first to be dealt with and small ones can only be undertaken in the indefinite future unless raiyats come forward to do the earthwork.

Subject No. 151
Reduction of Hulbanni rent.

Summary of discussion.—Hulbanni rent should be reduced in proportion to the decrease in the extent of banjar lands available.

Reply of Government.—This is not always possible. The rent is generally small. Where there has been a large decrease of land, the rent will be reduced or the grazing right sold by auction.